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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2873**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Takahiro Amanai
SERIAL NO. : 10/601,910
FILED : June 24, 2003
FOR : IMAGE PICKUP LENS UNIT AND IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE
ART UNIT : 2873
EXAMINER : Joseph P. Martinez

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Final Rejection dated November 3, 2004, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments be entered to place this application in condition for allowance or better form for appeal: